INTER-II ENGLISH

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MCQ's (Synonyms) - Modern Prose & Heroes

Choose the best answer.

1. Each star makes its **voyage** in complete loneliness. (visit, appearance, journey, movement)

2. We find the universe frightening because of its **immense** distances. (small, huge, no, minor)

3. The space beyond the **Milky Way** is immensely cold. (shinning star, collection of stars, planets, the sun)

4. We are more **critical** than our forefathers. (credulous, logical, illogical, superstitious)

5. **Thrifty** housewives preserved their home grown vegetables and fruits. (frugal, dirty, spendthrift, careless)

6. **Superstitious** people believe in the signs of good or bad luck. (broad-minded, credulous, modern, intelligent)

7. He **asserted** that God put those tonsils in his son's throat for some good purpose. (claimed, retorted, answered, narrated)
8. No body ought to be **compelled** to earn his entire was through college. (expelled, engaged, forced, taught)

9. It is always to the **detriment** of their health. (damage, advantage, need, improvement)

10. The voice it heralded sounded in my ears like a summons to **damnation**. (paradise, hell, pressure, fair)

11. Sometimes there were unexpected **respites**. (joys, breaks, gifts, dreams)

12. I could hardly believe that three **strenuous** school terms had rolled away. (pleasant, tiring, critical, long)

13. Many people are **reluctant** to throw anything that looks like a book. (ready, worried, willing, hesitant)

14. It is sometimes difficult to find a **scaffold** for books. (classes, gallows, proper place, hidden place)

15. I walked on with an air of **rumination**. (remuneration, meditation, diffidently, differently)

16. I began to **indolently** study diseases. (gladly, quickly, lazily, indifferently.

17. Gout was in its most **malignant** stage. (mild, initial, virulent, obvious)

18. I crawled out as a **decrepit** wreck. (strong, brave, weak, coward)

19. When I go into a bank I get **rattled**. (confused, sad, happy, angry)

20. My voice was **sepulchral**. (soft, loud, gloomy, low)

21. The people in the bank had the impression that I was an **invalid** millionaire. (illiterate, disabled, poor, very rich)

22. **Occidental** countries launched a warm hug to China. (western, eastern, northern, southern)

23. There is a lack of **femininity** in the Chinese women. (beauty, shame, fashion, womanliness)

24. Mao says that it is the people, and not things, that are **decisive**. (important, unimportant, trifle, problem)

25. A tremendous population **explosion** is taking place. (rapid growth, decrease, control, planning)

26. Nine and a half million **perished** in a single famine. (drowned, deprived, tried, died)

27. Food could not be distributed to the **isolated** areas. (at hand, remote, prosperous, well - off)

28. Abd-al-Rahman was a youth of **exceptional** nerve and ability. (good, strong, little, extraordinary)

29. In North Africa, he bravely escaped **assassination**. (punishment, murder, prison, capture)
30. Abd-al-Rahman imported **exotic** plants to his garden. (native, beautiful, best, foreign)

31.The head master showed **discernment** in judging my general ability. (wisdom, illiteracy, rejection, mystery)

30. After much **reflection** I put a bracket round it. (shadow, echo, thinking, wait)

31. I continued in this **unpretentious** situation for nearly a year. (troublesome, tiring, cruel, simple)

32. Naturally I am **biased** in favour of boys learning English. (bad, cruel, partial, dull)

33. Large parts were almost **uninhabited**. (unpleasant, underdeveloped, unpopulated, uncultivated)

34. The driver was **reluctant** to take Christopher. (willing, hesitant, eager, drunk)

35. They went to a well to **replenish** their water-bags. (empty, wash, refill, draw)

36. The land of thirst and death was an area **notorious** for sandstorms. (famous, noble, defamed, well known)

37. Lister's aim was the **prevention** of disease. (growth, stopping, pruning, flourishing)

38. Injecting carbolic acid was **abandoned** soon. (given up, adopted, practiced, propagated)

39. He discovered the body's natural **armour**, the leukocytes.(attack, prevention, defense, killer)

40. Lysozyme was the **forerunner** of penicillin. (herald, killer, father, companion)

41. Pasteur's father had been one of Napoleon's **conscripts**. (friends, servants, soldiers, opponents)

42. Until 1849, the industry of silkworm had **flourished** consistently. (declined, died, prospered, decreased)

43. **Providentially**, Pasteur's mind was not injured. (clearly, consequently, immediately, fortunately)

44. Pasteur arrived at the method of **attenuating** germs. (cultivating, growing, killing, weakening)

45. At first the British High Commissioner **demurred**. (admired, objected, stopped, instructed)

46. Turks **vowed** that death was preferable to rule by Greeks. (declared, said, repeated, swore)

47. Mustafa Kamal **abolished** the old Turkish script. (promoted, changed, supported, put to and end)

48. Mustafa Kamal was the **saviour** of Turkey. (leader, ruler, deliverer, destroyer)

MCQ's (Synonyms) - Good Bye Mr. Chips

1. Brookfield was established in the reign of Elizabeth. (conquest, name, **period**, area)

2. Wetherby restored its fortunes status somewhat. (brought, **revived**, established, caught)

3. The snobbish people said that they thought they had heard of Broofield. (**rich**, poor, humble, educated)

4. He remembered the day of his preliminary interview. (**introductory**, first, successful, long)

5. Chips had a vivid recollection of Wetherby. (picture, record, **memory**, books)

6. Give your enthusiasm to Brookfield and Brookfield will give you something in return. (experience, **zeal**, life, decision)

7. He remembered that first tremendous ordeal of taking prep class. (**trial**, situation, experience, task)

8. Chips was at the mercy of five hundred unprincipled ruffians. (youngsters, toddlers,**barbarians**, pioneers)

9. The scowl he assumed to cover his inward nervousness. (position, intimacy, **frown**, obduracy)

10. Chips knew the inadequacy of his qualification. (advantage, merits, **defects**, qualities)

11. Chips slipped and wrenched his ankle. (broke, fractured, **sprained**, messaged)

12. Chips was rescued by Katherine. (loved, abused, **saved**, insulted)

13. Chips' sprain put him on Katherine's mercy. (**injury,** foolishness, personality, old age)

14. Katherine had freckled cheeks. (bright, beautiful, **spotted**, shinning)

15. In politics, Katherine was radical. (loving, easy, **revolutionary**, soft)

16. Chips remained conservative in politics. (good, **orthodox**, non-serious, indifferent)

17. Actually Chips nodded and stumbled on. (flew, **walked**, fell, stopped)

18. Katherine broadened his views and opinions. (narrowed, limited, **widened**, distorted)

19. Everything ended without a slightest hitch. (difficulty, case, jerk, **objection**)

20. Katherine did not like cocksure type of boys. (humble, tall, lazy, **confident**)

21. Chips was standing in a trance. (**half-conscious state**, happy, hall, sad mood)

22. Chips nearly answered that he could go to blazes. (**hell**, shelter, heaven, haven)

23. Chips did not want to receive condolences. (praises, horrors, curses, **sympathies**)

24. Just as marriage had added something so did bereavement. (happiness, **grief**, fun, comfort)

25. Chips changed his commodious apartment. (comfortable, small, ugly, **large**)

26. Chips once thrashed Collingwood. (pushed, rewarded, **beat**, loved)

27. Mr. Chips remembered many funny anecdotes. (games, poems, essays, **tales**)

28. Chips remembered Katherine laughing at some howler.
(punishment, **mistake**,admiration, appreciation)

29. Chips remembered the dizzy happiness. (lay, certain, **puzzled**, great)

30. It was queer that things were so clear in Chips' mind. (sad, funny, **strange**, interesting)

31. Ralston was pontiful. (docile, insulting, **confident**, coward)

32. He was efficient, ruthless, ambitious but not very likeable. (careless, **merciless**, helpless, brainless)

33. Chips' method of teaching was slack. (modern, old, unique, **slow**)

34. Mr. Chatteris accepted the situation wisely and courteously. (reluctantly, hesitatingly, unwillingly, **kindly**)

35. Chips was given an uproarious farewell. (comfortable, quiet, **noisy,** calm)

36. Mr. Chips' speech was impeded by laughters of the audience. (praised, disliked, liked, **interrupted**)

37. Mrs. Wickett's house itself was ugly and pretentious. (costly, far away, ordinary,**showy**)

38. At Mrs. Wickett's, Mr. Chips was leading a pleasant and placid life. (**calm**, busy, happy, regular)

39. Chips kept up hospitality in his room. (reading, knowledge, **reception**, showiness)

40. Mr. Chips' voice had still a good deal of sprightliness. (jerkiness, **liveliness**, hardness, toughness)

41. There was the shrill whine of anti-air craft shells. (danger, destruction, **cry**, anger)

42. The armies were clenched in deadlock. (occupied, troubled, **gripped**, dripped)

43. I do sympathize with you. (know, be ashamed, alarm, **feel sorry**)

44. At fifty he was the doyen of the staff. (junior, respected by, **senior member,** local)

45. Chips made desultory notes in an exercise book. (**disorganized**, organized, short, beautiful)

46. It was a damp shinning day. (acrid, **foggy**, sunny, dry)

47. It was cold and foggy and he dared not go out. (rainy, sunny, **misty,** windy)

48. The meeting with Linford had exhausted Mr. Chips. (freshened, distorted, **tired**, ruined)

49. Sleep again if you inclined. (disturbed, **tempted**, noisy, troubled)

The whole pageant of the past swang before him. (story, performance, **spectacle**, incident)

MCQ's - Correction

1. I bought two dozens eggs. (**I bought two dozen eggs**./I buy two dozen eggs./I boughtdozens of eggs./I buy dozens of eggs.)

2. Cattles are eating grass. (Cattle is eating grass./Cattle are eat grass./Cattles is eating grass./**Cattle are eating grass.**)

3. He gave me advices. (He gave me much advices./He gave me many advices./He gave me much pieces of advices./**He gave me many pieces of advice.**)

4. His hairs are grey. (His hair are grey./His hair were grey./His hair will be grey./**His hair is grey.**)

5. Politics are a dirty game. (Politic is a dirty game./**Politics is a dirty game.**/Politic are dirty games./Politics are dirty games.)

6. Sheeps are grazing in the field. (Sheeps is grazing in the field./Sheeps grazing in the field./**Sheep are grazing in the field.**/Sheep is grazing in the field.)

7. One should do his duty. (One should do her duty./One should do its duty./**One should do one's duty.**/One should do my duty.)

8. He, you and I told the news. (I, he and you told the news./You, I and he told the news./He, I and you told the news./**You, he and I told the news**.)

9. I as well as you were wrong. (I as well as you had wrong./**I as well as you was wrong.**/I and you was wrong./I as well as you were wrong.)

10. He said to me, "Are you kidding?" (He said to me I was kidding./**He asked me if I was kidding.**/He asked me if I am kiddling./He tells me if I was kidding.)

11. Either you or I are wrong. (Either you or I is wrong./**Either you or I am wrong.**/Eitheryou or I was wrong./Either you or I have wrong.)

12. The murdered hanged yesterday. (The murderer hung yesterday./The murdered was hung yesterday./The murderer is hanged yesterday./**The murdered was hanged yesterday.**)

13. He knows swimming. (He know swimming./He knew swimming./**He knows how to swim.**/He knows to swim.)

14. He is ill for a week. (He is ill from a week./He is ill since a week./**He has been ill for a week.**/He has been ill from a week.)

15. It is raining since morning. (It was raining since morning./**It has been raining since morning.**/It rained since morning./It will be raining since morning.)

16. Rich should help poor. (Rich should help poors./**The rich should help the poor.**/Rich should help the poor./ The rich should help poor.)

17. Honesty is a best policy. (**Honesty is the best policy.**/Honesty is best policy./The honesty is a best policy./The honesty is the best policy.)

18. The man is mortal. (Man is the mortal./The man is the mortal./**Man is mortal.**/Man is a mortal.)

19. His pen is superior than mine. (His pen is superior than me./His pen is superior to you./His pen is superior to me./**His pen is superior to mine.**)

20. I called him as fool. (**I called him a fool.**/I called him as a fool./I called him fool./I called him as for fool.)

21. This is a worth reading book. (**This is a book worth reading.**/This is the book worth reading./This is the worth reading book./This is worth reading book.)

22. This is the last news. (**This is the latest news.**/This is last news./This is the later news./These are the last news.)

23. I do not have some money. (I do not have many moeny./**I do not have any money.**/I do not have a few money./I have no any money.)

24. This cloth is more inferior to that. (**This cloth is inferior to that.**/This cloth is much inferior to that./This cloth is more inferior than that./This cloth is inferior than that.)

25. He behaves cowardly. (He behaves coward./He behaves in a cowardice manner./**He behaves in a cowardly manner.**/He cowardly behaves.)

26. The faster you walk, better it is. (Faster you walk, better it is./Faster you walk, the better it is./**The faster you walk, the better it is.**/The more fast you walk, the better it is)

27. The patient has been operated. (The patient had been operated./The patient have been operated./**The patient has been operated upon.**/The patient has been operated with.)

28. She is good of English. (**She is good at English.**/She is good in English./She is good with English./She is good on English.)

29. She congratulated me for my success. (She congratulated me to my success./**She congratulated me on my success.**/She congratulated me over my success./She congratulated me upon my success.)

30. Although he is old, but he is strong. (Although he is old, he is strong./Although he is old he is strong./**Although he is old yet he is strong**./Although he is old but he is strong.)

MCQ's - Prepositions

1. We must abide ----- the laws of our country. (with, for, on, **by**)
2. He is addicted ----- gambling. (at, with, for, **to**)
3. Our college is adjacent ----- the bazaar. (with, in, by, **to**)
4. I agree ----- you on this issue. (**with**, to, at, against)
5. He aimed ----- the bear with a gun. (over, of, on, **at**)
6. My father is angry ----- me. (on, to, **with**, over)
7. He availed himself ----- the chance. (at, on, **of**, off)
8. He was not aware ----- the new situation. (from, at, **of**, to)

9. The leader was banished ----- a foreign country. (off, **of**, to, with)
10. Father is not blind ----- his son's behaviour. (of, with, **to**, for)
11. Do not boast ----- your wealth. (about, **of**, on, for)
12. The thief broke ----- his house yesterday. (in, **into**, at, with)
13. Cholera has broken ----- in the city. (in, up, away, **out**)
14. She was brought ----- by her uncle. (of, on, in, **up**)
15. Sewage is carried ----- pipelines. (from, **through**, to, in)
16. The thief was charged ----- theft. (for, **with**, at, through)
17. I congratulated him ----- his success. (at, in, **on**, of)
18. The class consists ----- fifty students. (with, for, on, **of**)
19. He deals ----- me kindly. (in, **with**, to, for)
20. You cannot even dream ----- success. (over, at, **of**, on)
21. He is eligible ----- this post. (from, **for**, to, with)
22. Do not be envious ----- others. (**of**, with, from, for)
23. You should excuse him ----- this. (**for**, with, from, on)
24. I am fond ----- reading short stories. (in, at, **of**, off)
25. The principal was furious ----- his mistake. (**at**, with, of, for)
26. You should go ----- the moral principles. (by, with, **for**, on)
27. Karim is gifted ----- the power of speech. (from, of, upon, **with**)
28. He has no hope ----- success. (**for**, from, of, about)
29. Nature is not hostile ----- man. (with, over, **to**, on)
30. They always indulge ----- useless pleasures. (on, **in**, of, with)
31. I inquired ----- his health. (after, **about**, for, to)
32. Do not be jealous ----- others. (to, for, **of**, with)
33. The fox jumped ----- the river. (in, **into**, down, up)
34. You are justified ----- claiming for your rights. (up, after, in, **with**)
35. God is very kind ----- His creatures. (with, for, **to**, on)
36. Do not laugh ----- the poor. (on, **at**, for, away)
37. He was leaning ----- the wall. (after, **against**, with, to)
38. Learn this poem ----- heart. (to, about, in, **by**)
39. He longs ----- a car. (to, **for**, in, upon)
40. Samina was married -----him. (with, **to**, on, by)
41.I am popular ----- my students. (in, **with**, by, of)
42. I prefer milk ----- tea. (for, **to**, on, over)
43. The Muslims pray ----- God. (before, of, from, **to**)
44. Prevent him ----- getting involved in politics. (by, **from**, of, by)
45. Nasima repented ----- her past conduct. (to, for, **of**, by)
46. He was run ----- by a car. (from, with, after, **over**)
47. Do not sneer ----- the poor. (by, **at,** to, on)
48. You have no sympathy ----- the poor. (with, **for**, on, of)

49. He takes ----- his father. (**after**, with, on, at)
50. He warned me ----- that person. (against, **of**, about, from)

SHORT QUESTIONS

1	How did Churchil do his Latin Paper?	2	Why did Churchill not do well in the examinations?
3	Which subject was taught to Churchill?	4	Who was Mr. Welldon?
5	How did Somervell teach English?	6	What did Christopher do at El-Golea?
7	What good did Churchill's three years stay at Harrow to him?	8	What thing attracted Christopher to visit Sahara?
9	What was the most noticeable feature of the desert city named Ghardaia?	10	How did Christopher manage to get water at Abbangarit?
11	Who was Professor Claude Balanguernon?	12	What is antiseptic method?
13	What did Christopher do when he reached Timbuktu?	14	What was the chief defect of antiseptic method?
15	What part is played by the white cells in the blood of a human body?	16	What is Lysozyme? How was it discovered?
17	How was penicillin discovered?	18	What do you mean by spontaneous generation?
19	Why couldn't penicillin have been discovered in the research laboratories of America?	20	How can we say that Pasteur was a great patriot?
21	How did Pasteur discover the method of making vaccines?	22	How did Pasteur discover the treatment for the cattle disease, Anthrax?
23	How did Pasteur cure the silkworm disease?.	24	Which was the first human disease to which vaccination was applied?
25	Why was Mustafa Kamal sent to Anatolia?	26	What was Mustafa Kamal's reply?
27	Why did Mehmet order Mustafa Kamal to return to Constantinople?	28	What was decided by the Grand Turkish National Assembly at the end of War?
29	What were Mustafa Kamal's social reforms?	30	What were Mustafa Kamal's economic reforms?

Important Idioms

Break the news	Carry the day	Face the music	End in smoke
Bury the hatchet	Cut a sorry figure	A blue stocking	Nip in the bud
Add fuel to the fire	Catch at a straw	A rolling stone	A broken reed
Beat about the bush	A sugar daddy	A wet blanket	All and sundry
Bag and baggage	First and foremost	Flesh and blood	Part and parcel
A bad debt	A narrow speech	French leave	Rainy day
A maiden speech	At eleventh hour	At stone's throw	At daggers drawn

For good

SHORT QUESTIONS - MODERN PROSE

1	How did our earth come into being?	2	Why is there no life on the stars?
3	Write a note on the beginning of life on the earth.	4	How has the scientific method helped us in our fight against disease?
5	How was food preserved in the past?	6	Who are lazy bluffers?
7	What were the superstitious beliefs practiced by people in the past?	8	What is the common cause of failure of students?
9	How is health another cause of the failure of students?	10	How did the writer feel on Friday night?
11	What were unexpected respites?	12	Why should bad books be destroyed?
13	What were the things the writer longed for but could not have?	14	How did Jerome K. Jerome come to suspect that his liver was out of order?
15	Why is it difficult to destroy books?	16	Why did the writer go to the British Museum?
17	Why could not the author burn the unwanted books?	18	What was the prescription given to the writer by the doctor?
19	Why did the manager come to think that Leacock had an awful secret to reveal?	20	Write at least two blunders committed by Leacock in the bank.
21	After his mis-adventure in the bank, where did Leacock keep his money?	22	Why has the world changed its attitude towards china?
23	What is decentralized economy?	24	Write a note on Chinese women.
25	What does famine mean?	26	How do famines occur?
27	What is the major cause of increase in the population?	28	What was Cardova called "The Jewel of the World"?
29	Who was Al-Hakam?	30	What did the Abbasid Caliph say on receiving the head of his governor?

MOST IMPORTANT ESSAYS

SET A

Following 10 Essay are Most Important

1. My Hero / My Favourite Personality/My best Teacher/Allama Iqbal/Quaid-E-Azam
2. My 1st day at College/ My Last day at college/College life
3. My Ambition/My Aim in life/My Dream
4. Why I love Pakistan
5. Uses and Abuses of Science/ Science
6. Hockey/Cricket/Football Match
7. My Hobby
8. A Road Accident
9. Co-Education / Technical Education
10. Visit to Historical Place/A visit to Hill station/A visit to Zoo/A day at river side/A day at railwaystation

SET B (OPTIONAL)

1. Comparison b/w City and Village life, Village life, City Life, Village Fair, City traffic, life in big city
2. Mobile Phone / Uses and Abuses of mobile phones
3. Computer / Uses and abuses of computer
4. Pollution
5. Democracy
6. Holy Prophet P.B.U.H
7. Eid-Ul-Fitar/ Eid-Ul Azha

Important Phrasal Verbs

Back out	Bear up	Break down	Break into
Break out	Carry off	Come about	Come off
Call in	Cut off	Fall in with	Fall out
Give up	Get through	Get into	Hold back
Keep back	Lay by	Look after	Look down upon
Pass away	Pull down	Put off	Put up with
Run over	Set off	Stand for	Take after
Take in			

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